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CAVITATION-INDUCED  
TISSUE HEALING WITH  
LOW INTENSITY  
ULTRASOUND

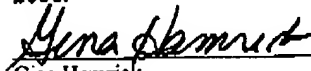
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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Madam:

In response to the final Office Action mailed on February 14, 2006, the Assignee submits the enclosed amendments and remarks. A Request for Continued Examination and fee have been concurrently filed.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.